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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

The Applicant has filed this Response pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in reply to the outstanding Official Action dated January 18, 2008, and the Applicant believes the Response to be fully responsive to the Official Action for reasons set forth below.

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